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fears is being lost. Our nursing profession will be then as always, one of God's noble works, and caring for the sick will be a sacred privilege.

Massachusetts.

E. G. M.

#### TWO SIDES TO A QUESTION

**D**EAR EDITOR: Have read in your *Journal* of a "terrible item of interest"<sup>1</sup> regarding ten years' imprisonment for a nurse for having "Patriotic Republican Sympathies." Would it not have been advisable, less misleading, to add the fact which was given in the press that the said nurse was driving an automobile containing high explosives? Had the car been filled with surgical dressings, instruments, etc., the lady in question would be entitled to the sympathy of the whole world, but such was not the case. Is it not a nurse's privilege to bind up the wounded and tend the suffering, without thought of politics, religions or country, and not to help in forwarding the destruction of human life? Then surely she is no more worthy to follow the "Lady of the Lamp." Probably the foregoing is unworthy of publication, but it is written by a graduate nurse who has nursed among many peoples, be they so-called friend or foe, and above all, a lover of justice.

England.

G. M. S.

<sup>1</sup> Page 38, October *Journal*.

#### A COURSE FOR INDUSTRIAL NURSES

**D**EAR EDITOR: The Health Department of the City of New York is considering giving a course of twelve lectures to nurses engaged in industry, or desiring to enter industrial establishments.

The course will conclude with a written examination covering the subjects touched upon in the lectures. The value of the course would be materially advanced if field work could be included. All nurses interested will please communicate with Christine R. Kefauver, R.N., Acting Supervisor, Division of Industrial Hygiene, and state what day of the week would be most convenient, whether afternoon or evening is preferred, and whether field work is desired.

New York.

CHRISTINE R. KEFAUVER.

#### JOURNALS ON HAND

##### I

The following numbers of *The Journal* may be had by paying postage, address Mrs. C. D. Reiner, 320 North Broadway, Santa Monica, Calif: 1909, all except October; 1910, August through December; 1911, January, March through August; 1912 and 1913, complete; 1914, January through July; 1915, June through November.

##### II

The following *Journals* may be obtained from Mrs. Nellie L. Russ, Health Bureau, Rochester, N. Y.: 1901, December; 1902, June; 1908, August, October, November; 1909, all but June, August, November; 1910, January through March; 1911, September and December; 1912, January, May through October, December; 1913, all except April, August, September; 1914, April and November; 1915, January, July through December; 1916 and 1917, complete; 1918, all but January; 1919, January through March and October through December; 1920, complete.